

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

File the Application of: **Kenji MARUYAMA et al.**

Group Art Unit: **2813**

Serial No.: **09/960,296**

Examiner: **L. SCHILLINGER**

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Confirmation No.: **4754**

For: **SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD FOR FABRICATING
THE SAME**

Attorney Docket Number: **011267**

Customer Number: **38834**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: August 20, 2004

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 20, 2004 for one month from July 20, 2004 to August 20, 2004.

Attached please find a check including the amount of \$110.00 to cover the cost of the extension. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

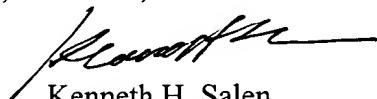
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